

WHAT'S ON

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► THURSDAY 12 MAY

6pm-8pm HGS SNT Drop in Surgery An opportunity for you to tell your local Police Safer Neighbourhood Team of your community and security concerns, quality of life issues and influence local policing. We provide Crime Prevention and personal safety advice, how to register your mobile phone, mark and identify your property. The Hampstead Garden Suburb Library, 15 The Market Place NW11 6LA

8pm Garden Suburb Theatre – The Secret Rapture The Bull Theatre, 68 Barnet High Street EN5 5SJ. Thought-provoking story, by David Hare, about two siblings, the nature of good and evil and the way we understand our actions towards others. Refreshments. Tickets £12, £10. To book 7723 6609 or 8441 5010

► SATURDAY 14 MAY

2pm Temple Fortune Bowls Open Day 122 Bridge Lane NW11. Open Day for prospective members

4pm matinee Garden Suburb Theatre – The Secret Rapture Details as 12 May

7.30pm Sacred Masterpieces Finchley Choral Society conducted by David Lardi. Trinity Church, Nether Street, North Finchley N12. Victoria, Lotti, Schutz, Bach. Refreshments. Tickets £12 (conc £9, under 16 £6). To book 8446 6151

► THURSDAY 19 MAY

8.30am HGS Horticultural Society Coach Trip to Coton Manor and Cottesbrook Hall and Gardens Northamptonshire £30.00. Booking forms in Hort Soc newsletters at RA Gallery or download from www.hortsoc.co.uk. Enquiries 8455 0353; hgs@hortsoc.co.uk. Actual departure time will be notified to participants nearer the time.

► SATURDAY 21 MAY

2pm-5pm Residents Association Michael Rowley Memorial Lecture – 'Wilful naughtiness' As the churches on Central Square celebrate their centenaries, Gavin Stamp explores the work of Edwin Lutyens on the Suburb. Tea and cakes. Free Church Hall

► SUNDAY 22 MAY

11am Free Church Junior Church Festival Service

► MONDAY 23 MAY

Borough Councillors' Surgery Fellowship House. Surgery open from 6-7pm. Ask for advice on local problems

► FRIDAY 27 MAY

1pm Free Church Music Recital 12.15pm lunch supporting Christian Aid

► SATURDAY 4 JUNE

10.30am Free Church Traidcraft Sale and Coffee Morning

► SUNDAY 5 JUNE

2pm-6pm Yellow Book Open Gardens NGS Gardens, open for charity. Group opening of four beautiful gardens at: 94 Oakwood Road, 91 Willifield Way*, 48 Erskine Hill, 5 Heathgate. *home-made teas at 91 Willifield Way. £8 group or £2.50 individual gardens

► TUESDAY 7 JUNE

7pm-8pm Horticultural Society Summer Flower Show Competitors' Entry Night Fellowship House. Submit your entry forms to enter the flower, produce, cookery, preserves, photography or children's classes for next Saturday's show. First-time entrants very welcome (advice can be given). Allotment holders, why not enter your produce? Enquiries: contact the show secretary 8455 8741; hgs@hortsoc.co.uk

8pm Residents Association Council Meeting at Fellowship House. Hear Suburb issues debated and raise your concerns at Question Time (8.30pm)

► SATURDAY 11 JUNE

2-5pm 75th birthday Family Fete Annemount School, Holne Chase

3pm-5.30pm Horticultural Society 271st Summer Flower Show and scarecrow competition Free Church Hall. May be opened by Jonathan Ross and family (to be confirmed). Home-made teas in the small hall, raffle and other attractions. Entry free for members and under-18s, non-members £1.00. **Scarecrow competition for children and adults** – Theme of the competition is a Disney character of your choice. Bring your scarecrows to the Free Church Hall by 11am on the morning of Saturday 11 June. They will be displayed in the garden and (hopefully) judged by Jonathan Ross and Jane Goldman. If possible, please let the show secretary know beforehand that you intend to enter (020 8455 8741; hgs@hortsoc.co.uk). Judging and prizes at approx. 4pm. Please collect your scarecrow at 5.30pm.

7.30pm Free Church Choir Concert Free Church. Mozart's Requiem and Vivaldi's Gloria

► SUNDAY 12 JUNE

10.30am Feast of Pentecost at St Jude's For services and events, please visit www.stjudeonthehill.com

2pm-6pm Yellow Book Open Gardens NGS Garden, open for charity. 5 Hillcrest Avenue NW11. Small, labour-saving, traditional back garden and jungle front garden. Admission £2.50. Teas

► WEDNESDAY 15 JUNE

5pm-9pm Yellow Book Open Gardens NGS Garden, open for charity. 5 Hillcrest Avenue NW11. Small, labour-saving, traditional back garden and jungle front garden. Admission £3.50. Wine and light refreshments.

► THURSDAY 16 JUNE

2.30pm Free Church Thursday Fellowship Social Afternoon Talk on Mayhew Animal Homes

► SATURDAY 18 JUNE

Proms at St Jude's 2011 Season opens at St. Jude's Church.

► SUNDAY 19 JUNE

10.30am Festival Eucharist for Proms at St Jude's. For services and events, please visit www.stjudeonthehill.com

2pm-6pm Horticultural Society Open Gardens, Rose Festival and Specialist Nurseries Plant Sale Extravaganza Fellowship House.

Extra special events:

Many open gardens to visit throughout the Suburb, some 'old faithfuls', some new gardens never seen before. Entry to all gardens £7.50 (children free).

Refreshments in Fellowship House all afternoon with the usual array of delicious cakes and our second Rose Festival.

In the Fellowship House garden two specialist nurseries will be selling wonderful plants. Enquiries 020 8455 0455; hgs@hortsoc.co.uk

► TUESDAY 21 JUNE

Horticultural Society Suburb in Bloom Competition Closing Date for Entries Fellowship House. Why not celebrate the results of your hard work in the garden by entering the Horticultural Society's 'Suburb in Bloom' competition? The winner will be presented with the Millennium Cup engraved with the year and the winner's name and a plant voucher for £25. Plant vouchers of £15 and £10 to runners-up. Details and entry forms from patsy_larsen@yahoo.com; 020 8458 2690. Judging will take place on 28 June, when access to your garden must be guaranteed (the approx. time will be notified)

► THURSDAY 23 JUNE

5.30pm-9.30pm Yellow Book Open Gardens NGS Garden, open for charity. 113 Corringham Road NW11. Designer's sumptuously-planted garden with pond, potager and greenhouse, in a delightful woodland setting. Admission £5, to include a glass of wine

PROMS AT ST JUDE'S FREE LUNCHTIME CONCERTS (12.45pm)

SATURDAY 18 JUNE

The Purcell School's Elastic Band – A concert for all ages

MONDAY 20 JUNE

Flute and Piano Recital – Abigail Burrows and Daniel Swain

TUESDAY 21 JUNE

Violin and Piano Recital – Róisín Walters and Viktor Sugeng

WEDNESDAY 22 JUNE

Cello Quartet – Robert Max and former students

THURSDAY 23 JUNE

Family Concert – Myths and Legends, Nonesuch Orchestra

FRIDAY 24 JUNE

Organ Recital – Anna Steppler Organ Scholar, Merton College Oxford

SATURDAY 25 JUNE

The Tyburn String Quartet in the Free Church, North Square



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► SATURDAY 25 JUNE

12noon-5pm The Institute Open Day Institute Arts Centre, Beaumont Close, N2 0GA. There will be staff on hand to answer your questions about our courses as well as exhibitions and displays of work

SUNDAY 26 JUNE

2pm-6pm Yellow Book Open Gardens NGS Garden, open for charity. 4 Asmunds Hill NW11. Exquisite, small cottage garden; clematis a speciality. Admission £3

2pm-6pm Yellow Book Open Gardens NGS Garden, open for charity. 15 Creswick Walk NW11. Ultra-modern garden design using traditional cottage garden plants. Admission £3 (children free). Teas and light refreshments

► MONDAY 27 JUNE

Borough Councillors' Surgery Fellowship House. Surgery open from 6-7pm. Ask for advice on local problems

► SATURDAY 2 & SUNDAY 3 JULY

Creative Arts Festival Free Church. Celebrating the RA Centenary

► SUNDAY 3 JULY

11am Free Church Family Communion Service Free Church on North Square Grass

12.30pm-4.30pm Residents Association Centenary Picnic Central Square. Children's entertainer, face-painting, magic and music. Bring your own food and wine. Chairs can be reserved at £2 per head. Tables for ten £20. Free glass of wine for early arrivals (by 1.15pm). To book, ring David Littaur on 020 8731 6755

► TUESDAY 5 JULY

8pm Residents Association Council Meeting at Fellowship House. Hear Suburb issues debated and raise your concerns at Question Time (8.30pm)

► FRIDAY 8 JULY & SATURDAY 9 JULY

3 & 7.30pm Garden Suburb Theatre – The Merry Wives of Windsor by William Shakespeare in the Little Oak Wood. Tickets £9 (conc £7). Refreshments. To book 7723 6609

► SUNDAY 10 JULY

10.30am Morning Service at St Jude's. Preacher – the Bishop of Edmonton. For services and events, please visit www.stjudeonthehill.com

7.30pm Garden Suburb Theatre – The Merry Wives of Windsor Details as 8 July

► WEDNESDAY 13 JULY

Horticultural Society Coach Trip to St Paul's Walden Bury & Kathy Brown's Garden St Paul's Walden Bury is grade 1 listed and has been described as one of the best surviving landscape gardens designed by Edward Gilbert in 1720-1730. Kathy Brown will give a talk about her famous garden. Tea and home-made cakes included, but bring a picnic lunch. £36.00. Application forms in Hort Soc newsletters, on website and at Fellowship House. Enquiries 8455 0353; hgs@hortsoc.co.uk. Exact departure time will be notified.

► THURSDAY 14 JULY & FRIDAY 15 JULY

7.30pm Garden Suburb Theatre – The Merry Wives of Windsor Details as 8 July

► SATURDAY 16 JULY

3pm matinee Garden Suburb Theatre – The Merry Wives of Windsor Details as 8 July

► THURSDAY 21 JULY

2.30pm Free Church Thursday Fellowship Social Afternoon Free Church Hall. Thursday Fellowship AGM and Summer Party

► SUNDAY 24 JULY

2pm-6pm Yellow Book Open Gardens NGS Garden, open for charity. 86 Willifield Way NW11. Award-winning cottage garden with a contemporary twist. Admission £3 (children free). Tea on the lawn.

2pm-5.30pm Yellow Book Open Gardens NGS Garden, open for charity. 51 Northway NW11. Charming, traditional cottage garden, crammed with pretty perennials in a woodland setting. Admission £3 (children free).

► MONDAY 25 JULY

Borough Councillors' Surgery Fellowship House. Surgery open from 6-7pm. Ask for advice on local problems

► FRIDAY 29 JULY

1pm Free Church Organ Recital by Ken Dougall. Free Church
12.15pm Lunch supporting Christian Aid